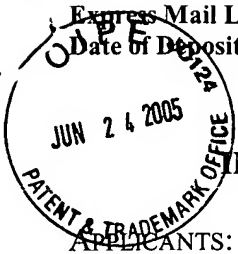


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Petition for Expedited Examination (38 pages);
2. Preliminary Amendment (7 pages);
3. Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 page);
4. Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
5. Supplemental Modified Form 1449/PTO (2 pages), in duplicate;
6. Check No. 2684 in the amount of \$130.00 to cover petition fee; and
7. a Return postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (212) 935-3000, New York City, New York.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. **50-0311** Ref. No. **27542-501**. Please address all correspondence to customer number **35437**. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Brian Hopkins", written over a horizontal line.

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